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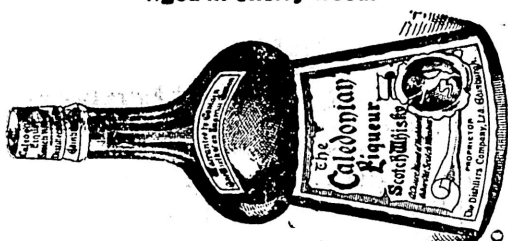
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the Coast.

Will Be the Guests at a Citizens'
Reception in the
Legislative Hall.

The day after tomorrow will see the arrival in Victoria of perhaps the most important body of visitors who have come to the Pacific Coast the present year—the big party making up the Canadian Manufacturers' excursion. Owing to a mishap to the train in which the party is travelling, a day was lost at Winnipeg, so that the arrival here will not be until Thursday evening, instead of tomorrow night, as was at first intended.

Every arrangement has been made to give the foremost business men of Canada proper reception and adequate entertainment. The citizens who hail from Nova Scotia have organized for the occasion and will extend a formal welcome to those in the party who are from the maritime provinces. On the evening of Thursday all of them will be guests at a reception by the citizens in the legislative hall at the Parliament buildings. Light refreshments will be provided for the occasion by the government and Sir Henry Daulton has kindly offered to look after the musical arrangements. On Friday the party will visit Esquimalt and the ships of H. M. navy in the morning, and be taken for a drive around the city in the afternoon. Following are interesting references to a number of the leading members of the party, taken from the columns of a Winnipeg exchange:

Mr. W. K. George, one of the vice-presidents of the Manufacturers' Association, is the head of the Standard Silver Company, Toronto. He takes a prominent part in the association's affairs, and is a strong believer in the policy of Canada for the Northwest for many years. He is no stranger here, and has had a branch warehouse in Winnipeg for over twenty years. He has a wide experience in the Northwest in the West and has devoted special attention to the needs of the country in this line of manufacture.

Mr. McLaughlin, a miller and grain merchant of Toronto, is another member of the party who is known here.

Mr. Noel Marshall, head of the Standard Fuel Co., is a well-known business man, he is a patron of sports and is one of the Queen City's most popular men. He is president of the Toronto club.

J. S. Hamilton, president of the Peele Island Wine and Vineyard Co., is another member of the party whose name is familiar in the eastern provinces. He has come west to look up new openings for trade and get in closer touch with present interests.

Two gentlemen with the party are credited with the successful organization of the Manufacturers' association. They are J. J. Young, the general secretary, and J. E. M. Stewart, secretary of the Toronto club. They are active young men and have shown much ability in their respective positions, having accomplished the lion's share of the work of getting the association into its present excellent working shape.

Mr. Harry Cockburn, vice-president of the McClary Manufacturing Co., of London has been coming west since 1870, and feels at home as soon as he strikes Winnipeg. Asked as to the present excursion, the colonel said: "I think the great value of this excursion west will be two-fold. In the first place, the party will see more of the west and get a better idea of its possibilities than they could in months coming individually. And, secondly, the meeting together of the representatives of all parts of Canada, the getting acquainted at our annual gatherings, the interchange of methods of business; in fact, the general swapping of ideas will be of great benefit not only to ourselves as manufacturers, but I think also to the west. Of course, we have hardly shaken down yet, as we have been only one day and two nights on the train, but speaking roughly I should say that the founding people have about the largest representation. I may be wrong in this, for of course I look for the interests of the west to be well represented. The trip so far has been delightful, and I am sure we shall enjoy every minute of it."

Asked as to the western branch and whether further extensions were in prospect, Colonel Cockburn said: "Our experience has been that the more room we make this season, and I suppose that will come true of the west. Just at the moment we hope that we have space enough for another year at least."

G. F. Cleveland of the J. L. Goodhue company, but a resident of Montreal, is with the party.

Mr. Eastwood, of New Glasgow, who is accompanied by Mrs. Eastwood, represented the Nova Scotia branch of the railway cars and other heavy lines of machinery.

Mr. Harry Cockburn, the Ontario vice-president, was kept constantly busy shaking hands with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Burton are spending the Winnipeg allowance of time with Rev. J. B. and Mrs. Silcox, Hargrave street. Mr. Burton represents the Merchants' Dyeing Company, a concern that imports enormous quantities of English

Massacres At Beyrouth

Associated Press Correspondent's Description of Outrages in Syrian City.

Timely Arrival of United States Warships Stopped All Disorder.

Native Christians Puzzled at Permitted Murders in Sight of Ships.

Beyrouth, Syria, Sept. 28.—As this dispatch is being sent, the situation at Beyrouth remains unchanged, there being a great feeling of uncertainty. The correspondent of the Associated Press went on board the United States cruisers Brooklyn and San Francisco yesterday afternoon and found them armed camps. The bluejackets and marines were all in readiness to land at a moment's notice, ammunition filled their belts and arms were fixed in the hands of the sailors. Cotton informed the correspondent that he was prepared to afford Americans and Europeans in general, the fullest protection possible.

Fortunately the fanaticism of the people has not gone so far beyond the limits as to cause them to attack foreigners, but business is at a standstill, the streets are deserted and the shops are closed. The only remedy seems to be in the prompt dismissal of the governor, Besid Pasha. He has been in undisputed power for six years, and has surpassed all predecessors in the art of squeezing money out of his already poverty-stricken people. Guards to watch the American mission property here were furnished by the government last night. Had the governor renewed his hostility, Admiral Cotton was ready to land 500 marines. The American ships played their searchlights upon the city, illuminating not alone the property of the Syrian Protestant church, but also the alleys and byways frequented as a rule by shady characters.

The disturbances here began on the night of Friday, September 4. A murder was committed in Beyrouth, which was by no means an unusual thing, but in this instance the tables were turned and a native Christian killed a Moslem. The Christians became much wrought up over the affair and a genuine fight followed.

"Now the Moslems will go out to-night," they said, "and five Christians will die for the Moslem that is slain." On Saturday night and on the Sunday following there was an uprising against the Christians in different parts of the city. Thirty persons were massacred in one quarter, and a reign of terror was inaugurated throughout the whole city.

A visit to the scene of the greatest slaughter found a Turkish officer dead, a Frenchman, another, a Britisher, a third, and a fourth, a fifth, a sixth, a seventh, a eighth, a ninth, a tenth, a eleventh, a twelfth, a thirteenth, a fourteenth, a fifteenth, a sixteenth, a seventeenth, a eighteenth, a nineteenth, a twentieth, a twenty-first, a twenty-second, a twenty-third, a twenty-fourth, a twenty-fifth, a twenty-sixth, a twenty-seventh, a twenty-eighth, a twenty-ninth, a thirtieth, a thirty-first, a thirty-second, a thirty-third, a thirty-fourth, a thirty-fifth, a thirty-sixth, a thirty-seventh, a thirty-eighth, a thirty-ninth, a fortieth, a forty-first, a forty-second, a forty-third, a forty-fourth, a forty-fifth, a forty-sixth, a forty-seventh, a forty-eighth, a forty-ninth, a fiftieth, a fifty-first, a fifty-second, a fifty-third, a fifty-fourth, a fifty-fifth, a fifty-sixth, a fifty-seventh, a fifty-eighth, a fifty-ninth, a sixtieth, a sixty-first, a sixty-second, a sixty-third, a 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All Bulgarian Captives to Die

London Times Learns That All Prisoners Will Be Put to Death.

Porte's Countermanding Movement of Troops Reassures Bulgaria.

London, Sept. 28.—The Times learns that the palace committee at Yildiz, Kiosk, has recommended that all Bulgarians in the future, whether armed or unarmed, shall be shot. It is stated that the Sultan holds the same view, and that orders have been issued.

Sofia, Sept. 28.—Bakshir Pasha, who was responsible for the massacres at Krushovo and Smilevo, has been ordered with the Order of the Medjidie of the first class. He has been sent to the district of Latoria, where six villages have already been burned and many insurgents killed.

Sofia, Sept. 28.—The situation is much brighter today and the war clouds appear to have lifted. The Porte's assurance that the forty-two battalions recently ordered to Pied from Monastir and Adrianople, will not be removed, has lessened the apprehensions of the Bulgarian government.

The commission, appointed for the purpose at the time of yesterday's demonstration of Macedonians in this city, this afternoon waited on Premier Petroff and asked him if the government intended to do anything to help the Macedonians. Petroff replied that the ministry was acting in what it conceived to be the best interests of Bulgaria, and would continue the same policy.

QUARTER-ROUND DRAW.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 28.—"Kid" Carter and Gus Rublin fought a hard rough six-round draw fight tonight at the Washington Sporting Club.

RAILROAD WRECK.

Chattanooga, Sept. 28.—Cincinnati Southern passenger train No. 2, leaving Chattanooga at 10 o'clock, was derailed today. The engineer and several members of the crew were killed.

POLITICAL HOT TIME IN NANAIMO CITY

Smith And Hawthornthwaite on Same Platform Demolish Each Other.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Nanaimo, B. C., Sept. 28.—Nanaimo had a good, old-fashioned political "hot time" on Saturday night, and the fact that the Messrs. Smith and Hawthornthwaite were to occupy the same platform once more had been duly advertised, there was not standing room left in the opera house when the fun began. Smith men and Hawthornthwaite men were there in force, many of the former having come in from Ladysmith and other points to roar approval of their champion. There was also a large contingent of Conservatives, who, for the most part, were amused spectators of the duel of death between the labor men. Neither of the latter lacked the encouragement which liberal applause affords, for their respective factions vied with each other in the endeavor to lift the roof. Late in the evening, when Mr. Quennell came forward, another political contingent was heard from, and with such effect that it was at once evident that the government candidate was pretty well respected in the audience.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite opened the game, and devoted an hour or more to telling his audience what he had done himself and what Mr. Smith had not done, also what he had not done and what Mr. Smith had done. As a speech, it was possibly the best effort Mr. Hawthornthwaite has yet made in the campaign. Mr. Shepherd, the Liberal-Labor candidate followed, but did not improve the rather poor impression he had made a week ago. His challenge to his opponents to decide the election by means of an examination on their knowledge of coal mining provoked hearty laughter, but the good humor thus created evaporated when he insisted upon going into the details of the miserable labor party squabble of two years ago.

Mr. Smith entered his defence against Mr. Hawthornthwaite's charges, and several times he was interrupted by keeping the audience there all night if necessary, rather than he would sit down before he had said all he had to say about the iniquities of Mr. Hawthornthwaite. The audience must have looked as if they did not stand for it, for when Mr. Smith's time had expired he sat down very swiftly indeed, although he declared that he was only at the beginning of his exposure. Challenges to continue the fight this week were given and accepted, and it is extremely probable that on Thursday evening, when Mr. Smith will have command of the platform and all the time he wants, Nanaimo will attend to see the grand finale.

Mr. Quennell, the Conservative candidate, was given the floor at a very late hour, and wisely contented himself with a very short speech, in which he made reference to the attitude of the Dominion government on the Nanaimo question, as recently displayed in connection with the Grand Trunk.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite concluded with an exposition of Socialism, in which that chameleon like theory took on quite new colors, to the astonishment of an audience which discovers that the more addresses it hears the less it knows about the subject.

Local Conservatives are very well satisfied with the meeting. It is agreed this morning that while Mr. Smith possibly did himself some little good and conversely Mr. Hawthornthwaite some harm, he effected nothing for his nominee, Mr. Shepherd, whose weakness was just as manifest on Saturday evening as on the first occasion upon which he spoke. The accentuation of the differences between the labor factions, on the other hand, must result in loss to both Mr. Quennell's opponents and gain to himself, and every day now only makes his ultimate victory more certain and his majority larger.

MINUTEMAN WINS.

New York, Sept. 28.—J. E. Madden's The Minuteman easily won the \$10,000 match stakes at Morris Park today. Six good two-year-olds faced the starter for the event. The Minuteman made the pace from the start.

E. & J. BURKE'S THREE STAR OLD IRISH WHISKEY

Soft mellow Flavored Whiskey produced by age and high quality

What Liberal Policy Means in Respect to Grand Trunk Construction



PETITION AGAINST GRAND TRUNK

Many Voters Lay Their Objections Before the Ottawa House.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—Ottawa proposes to hold a Dominion exhibition in 1906. A Canadian Club is being organized here.

The Ottawa Free Press withdraws and apologizes for an offensive paragraph it wrote about J. J. Foy, K. C., chief lieutenant of Mr. Whitney, the Conservative leader in the Ontario legislature.

The Senate was attacked as an aggregation of millionaires who had no sympathy with the people. Something should be done to make that body a representative one. Consideration of the matters was promised.

J. H. Ross arrived here today. He spends the autumn and winter in Victoria.

ENGLISH MARKETS IN STATE OF PANIC.

London, Sept. 28.—Renewed heavy realizations, chiefly in the best investment securities, caused a demoralization of the stock markets today, almost amounting to a panic. Consols once touched \$75, being a full point beneath the lowest reached during the Franco-German war. The heavy liquidation is said to be due to the needs of American financiers and speculators. Great apprehensions are felt regarding the position of Wall street, and anxiety is entertained concerning the stock exchange settlement here Wednesday. There are rumors of probable failures.

Over fifty petitions containing hundreds of names were presented today against the government's transcontinental railway policy.

The civil service bill occupied the attention of the house the greater portion of the sitting. Fair progress was made with the estimates.

A deputation from the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress waited on the government and protested against the labor department being asked to secure help for the Manufacturers' Association.

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U. S. COMMANDER DEAD.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 28.—Rear Admiral Copper, of the Asiatic fleet, has advised the Navy Department by cable of the death yesterday at the Yokohama hospital of Commander E. M. Hughes, of the gunboat Annapolis.

TYPEFOUNDERS' STRIKE.

Cincinnati, Sept. 28.—The employees in the Cincinnati branch of the American Type Foundry Company went out on a strike this afternoon on an order from the headquarters in Chicago. The men say it is to be a general strike at all the type foundries.

THE STRENUOUS LIFE AGAIN.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 28.—After an absence of thirteen weeks at Oyster Bay, President Roosevelt returned to Washington today. The President was accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, Miss Alice Roosevelt and other members of the family and by Private Secretary Loch.

THE WESTMINSTER SHOW.

Will be Opened Today by the Premier.

The New Westminster Exhibition will be opened today by the Premier Hon. H. H. McBride, who will officiate in the absence of the Hon. Governor Sir Henri Gault. Several bands have been engaged to furnish music, and among these will be a Victoria band, Adams' band from Vancouver, Chilliwack band and the Westminster City band, augmented considerably by about a dozen musicians from Wagner's Seattle band. Prof. Smith will act as bandmaster.

American day is Thursday, October 1st, when a large excursion will be run from Vancouver. The attractions for the day are many, as Thursday is always the banner day of the fair. It will be a civic half holiday here and in Vancouver. The attractions include a big lacrosse event—the Vancouver versus the Shamrocks, of Montreal. It is not expected that the Vancouverers will win, but the unexpected often happens.

The betting on the series of lacrosse matches is that Westminster wins from Shamrocks on Tuesday, while the latter defeat Vancouver on Thursday. In the play off on Saturday the chances will be pretty even. Saturday is the last day of the fair.

The visiting members of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association are expected to visit the fair on Wednesday.

A laborer on being sentenced to six months hard labor at Colchester Sessions for stealing boots threw an African war medal, which he took from his breast, among the public, exclaiming, "Perhaps one of my friends will take care of that."

"Aw, the wain's fine," said Robert. "Whit' yer diana, granpa! jump down the wain an' pit hisse!"

Dr. Deimel Underwear

The story of the Dr. Deimel Underwear is as interesting as a novel. It is told in a 24-page booklet, illustrated on almost every page. Free for the asking at all houses selling Dr. Deimel Underwear. It may be had at

W. & J. Wilson, Angus Campbell & Co., and Leading Dealers Everywhere.

The Deimel Linen-Mesh Co. (Originators of "Linen-Mesh"). 2202 St. Catherine St., Montreal.

MOB WRECKS OFFICES AT "SOO"

Militia Called Out And Riot Act Read But Riot Still Continues.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 28.—A despatch just received from Sault Ste Marie by the News, says the rioters are attacking the militia at the works. The soldiers, who are being bombarded with rocks and all sorts of missiles, had refrained from firing up to the time the despatch was filed.

Before the arrival of the troops at the Consolidated company's offices, the mob wrecked the office building and drove all the employees out. They then wrecked the offices, smashing desks, partitions and electric lights and completely demolished the interior. A magistrate read the riot act to them, but the rioters defied him. The battle between the men and the troops is still on.

CHILLIWACK'S APPLE CROP

Provincial Fruit Inspector Gives Result of Investigations in the Valley.

Mr. Thomas Cunningham, provincial fruit inspector, has contributed to the News-Advertiser the following article regarding the apple crop in the Chilliwack district:

In a former communication to the News-Advertiser, I promised to investigate the conditions of the apple crop in the Chilliwack Valley and report for the information of your numerous subscribers. I have had an excellent opportunity to interview all the growers, orchardists while attending the Chilliwack exhibition, and am thankful to be able to report that the quantity of apples is very little, if any, less than the crop of 1902, but what is much greater importance, the quality is much superior to anything that I have seen in recent years. I firmly believe that the money value of the present crop is 50 per cent. greater than last year.

The beautiful clean fruit that is in evidence in every orchard that I have seen reminds me of the good old days when there was neither fungus nor disease of any kind known in the charming Chilliwack Valley.

The apples being shipped out now are much better packed than formerly, and as the price of fruit is sure to be much higher, I believe our Chilliwack friends will have a very satisfactory year.

I have just received reports from Hood River district, Oregon, which, by the way, is perhaps the finest apple district south of British Columbia, and from which Vancouver merchants have been accustomed to draw large supplies of winter apples. The report shows that the entire apple crop of Hood River Valley has been sold at the following extraordinary prices:

Spitzenbergs, f.o.b., \$2 per box.

Yellow Newtown Pippins, \$1.75 per box.

Ben Davis, 85 cents per box.

The purchasers are one of the largest fruit companies in the United States. If these prices prevail in Oregon and Washington, what may our local growers expect? They should certainly realize a fair return for the product of their orchards. The more money they receive, the more they will spend and the better care their orchards will receive. Consumers may complain a little because of high prices, but a moment's reflection should convince any intelligent man that no one deserves any real benefit when goods which we produce are sold below their value. Our country is always more prosperous in all branches of industry and business when the farmer gets good prices for his crops.

I ought to have stated that the fruit exhibit was the leading feature of the Chilliwack exhibition, and attracted more attention than any other department. I have seldom seen more beautiful samples of Blenheim Orange, Northern Spy, Greinsten, Grimes, Golden and Golden Russet apples.

Mackintoshes in blue, fawn, brown and grey mixtures, from \$5.00 to \$25.00 each. B. Williams & Co.

Monkey Brand Soap made of copper like gold, tin like silver, crockery like marble, and windows like crystal.

"Whit' wey did ye pit out the light, paw?" he asked.

LIBERAL MEETINGS

MONDAY, SEPT. 28.—North Ward School House. Candidates and others will address electors.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 29.—Institute Hall. Ralph Smith, M. P., C. H. Lugin and candidates will address the electors.

COME ALL.

Canton Bazaar

Chinese Silk Goods of All Kinds

Hand manufactured Shawls, Tablecloths, Handkerchiefs, etc.

Ladies' and Gents' Underwear made to order.

Government street, near cor. Yates. Prices very reasonable.

NOTICE

The road from Millstream to Langford will be closed from Monday, September 28, to Wednesday, September 30th, on account of the new bridge.

J. OSBORNE, Road Boss.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Private Bills Notice.

The time limited by the Rules of the House for receiving Petitions for Private Bills will expire on the seventh day of December, 1903.

Bills must be presented to the House not later than the 17th day of December, 1903. Reports from Committees on Private Bills will not be received after the 25th day of December, 1903.

Dated this 25th day of September, 1903. THORNTON FELL, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

An Evening With Dickens

MR. E. S. WILLIAMSON

"The Boy Collector."

Metropolitan Church TUESDAY, OCT 6th, 1903

Admission 25 cents; reserved seats 50 cents. Seats reserved at store of Victoria Book & Stationery Co.

THE WESTSIDE

VICTORIA'S POPULAR STORE SEPTEMBER 29, 1903.

MORE GOOD NEWS ABOUT NEW DRESS GOODS

Don't know when we have so many gaudy chances of buying worthy new Dress Materials at greatly reduced prices. We have done so much of it lately that we've hardly had time to say much about our regular stock of new goods. You'll find it very satisfactory and complete. We have the goods you want and at prices you like to pay.

Dress Suitings.

New Zibeline Cloth, 54 inches wide, especially adapted for the new Tailor-Made Costumes, per yard. SPECIAL PRICE..... 75c

All-Wool Homespun Suitings, 54 inches wide, in all the new shades, per yard. SPECIAL PRICE..... \$1.00

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SARCASTIC VERB.

The London Times has a correspondent investigating the American invasion of our Northwest. He pays a high tribute to the American invaders, many of whom he says have a capital of from \$10,000 to \$15,000 and he goes on to remark: "Anything more widely different than these men from the ten or fifteen thousand dollar amateur from the old country could hardly be imagined. It is a painful reflection, though the story is a very old one; but if one in four of these young Englishmen have any substantial balance of their capital to show in a dozen years it would surprise those who know their type, and in too many cases it is their own fault. Drak, idleness and restlessness are the most fertile causes of failure, while lack of experience without sometimes the sense or modesty to recognize it and take advice, has been too often the cause of others who are steady and industrious." So far the correspondent. But now the Times itself. It quotes its correspondent as above and then goes on to say: "Apparently our correspondent is no believer in the fallacy still much in vogue in some parts of England and Scotland—that an athletic young man who lives in idleness in the country, rides to the nearest market town almost every day on more or less imaginary business, and wears garters and riding breeches on all occasions, is necessarily qualifying himself to be a successful colonist." That is very smart and very sarcastic, and we might say it ourselves about a very limited class of Canadian immigrants. But we will not allow the London Times to say it, and for very good reason. The men referred to suffer enough through having it cast up at them by the very agency which has caused it—a wholly ignorant metropolitan press. They and their parents know nothing about conditions in Western Canada, and they know nothing because their newspapers have never informed them, and have either passively or actively encouraged the "fallacy" at which they now sneer. The Times has been, with all due deference, just as big a sinner as any other newspaper in this respect. It takes all kinds of people to make a world and Canada is a big country. She would do well by these failures if she could. It is certainly hard, but the fault lies not with them but with the environment and conditions under which they were brought up wholly unsuitable for their work in life, and unsuitable because of the ignorance of a public opinion informed by just such papers as the Times.

EDUCATION.

Sir Norman Lockyer, in his presidential address to the British Association this year has been stirring things up on this subject. His address was based on the text that "a relative decline in national wealth derived from industries, must follow a relative neglect of scientific education." He elaborated that text and concluded with a demand upon the government for twenty-four million pounds sterling for the purpose of establishing universities for scientific research as distinct from polite learning. His is another note added to the chorus of distrust of our common educational methods and the need of something better, or let us say different. We noticed something that bears upon this in some recommendation to intending immigrants to Canada. It warned doctors, lawyers, preachers, and teachers to keep away, because our colleges were turning out more doctors, lawyers, preachers and teachers than the country could absorb. Is it correct to say that these professions, in a country by no means overpopulated, in fact, in great need of population are already overworked? We think it is correct. Then why is that the case? We think it is because our whole system of school and college education aims at the production, as its highest product, of a conventionally equipped doctor, lawyer, preacher or teacher, and not only does so, but, by a process of automatic specialization, excludes its best material from the choice of, and fitness for, other callings. Now the question is not whether this is pleasant or not, but whether it is true or not. If it is true, it is very absurd in a country of as great opportunities and as teaming necessities of human service to the commonwealth as Canada. Let us look into it a little more. We said "conventionally" equipped doctor, or lawyer, or preacher, or teacher. Now a conventionally equipped doctor is a man licensed to apply the healing art as taught in the schools to the human body, a lawyer to apply the principles of human relations as laid down in our laws to the actual relations of human beings in society, a preacher to apply the creed of his particular school to the individual circumstances and conduct of his flock, and a teacher to produce others like himself. Now if we take any college graduate we find that he requires no preliminary training for a course in law, medicine, or theology. While as for teaching, he is supposed to be ready except in some very easily acquired particulars. But if he turns his eyes in any other direction, does he require no preliminary training? Let us take one calling alone, newspaper work. That is essentially, literary work, not in the

lucky sense in which that word is used, but in its real sense, the application of letters to a purpose. In its two branches it means the gathering of news and its expression in clear, concise language, and the production of precise and intelligible comment which at least mirrors, if it does not, as it should, guide and form prevailing opinion. Surely that is of all things a calling to which our educational system should minister. The simple fact is that it does not. College graduates are the rawest kind of raw material in newspaper offices, and many of them are turned away from a profession they would ultimately adorn by resentment at the fact that they are helpless, where they think, and have a right to think, that their training should have bestowed many of the essential qualifications. They find that they possess qualifications, which will enable them to slide easily into the ranks of, conventionally equipped doctors and lawyers and preachers and teachers, but which actually place difficulties in their way in becoming newspaper men, entering a literary calling. Now the newspaper profession loses by that and the country loses by it. Surely the country loses, when the training of its young men, on which millions upon millions of money are spent, does not fit them for such an occupation as the making of bright good newspapers, a business cognate to the training in grammar, history, language and so forth they have been supposed to be getting. Now if that is true, as regards the making of newspapers, how much more must it be true of many other callings less intimately connected with the learned professions, but not less intimately connected with the general well being of society, and the services which it demands, and is willing to generously pay for, from its members! Of course the bearing of Sir Norman Lockyer's remarks was upon the relation of our present educational systems to national wealth. We have no quarrel with that provided a large enough conception of national wealth is entertained. Even in the narrow sense of national wealth, accumulation of capital and as result of comfort, it is a most important bearing. It is evident that the determination of educational effort along more varied lines than the production of doctors, lawyers, preachers and teachers is one of the crying needs of our Western civilization. But there is a question whether Sir Norman Lockyer's method of a colossal endowment of universities for scientific research would fill the need. As the twig is bent the tree is inclined. If we have a general idea that the potential doctor, lawyer, preacher or teacher is the educated man, and if that idea forms the framework upon which the education of our children is filled in from their earliest years, at what stage of their development is the incentive to another ideal of education to be awakened? We need a broadening of the popular ideal of what true education is, and that broadening can only be accomplished by investing in the public consciousness the very many occupations in which skill and learning are necessary with the dignity too much reserved for the so-called learned professions. These professions were the outcome of a much simpler and less complex civilization than ours is now. Modern civilization makes multifarious calls upon its children far outnumbering the "clerical" or the "middle" or the "learned" professions of the intermediate period from which we are now emerging. We must not cling to the ancient categories, but broaden our educative sympathies and ideals to the vastly broader and more varied conditions in which we live now.

MANUFACTURERS SPEAK.

In view of the present political campaign in British Columbia, the following from the Hamilton Spectator will prove interesting, more particularly as the members of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association will themselves visit this city during the present week: "The manufacturers of Canada have given the Laurier government a fair trial. They were promised that the Reformers would see to it that the protective tariff would not be altered, to their disadvantage, and in fact they gave their support to the Reform party. Having given the Grit government a fair trial and felt the effects of its tariff policy, the tariff tinkering of the Grit government can be dignified by the name of policy; the manufacturers feel that they are in a position to express a few opinions. They are not in Toronto, and, having considered the tariff question, they announced themselves in this way: "Resolution passed at the Halifax convention demanding an immediate revision of the tariff, rethanked, and, in opposition to granting of bounties as a substitute for policy of protection. "Opposition to reciprocity with the United States. "Establishment of permanent tariff commission of experts favored. "The answer of the Reform press to this remarkable set of resolutions is that they are misleading and illustrate the grab bag policy of the manufacturing class; that the great prosperity of Canada since the Reform government came into power is the best answer to any and all criticism of Reform tariff methods. "But the manufacturers are not innocent enough to let the tariff tinkers bask in the sunshine of a trade condition that, so far as they (the tinkers) are concerned, has been largely accidental. They know what has been the real cause of Canada's prosperity, and they know also that the Laurier government has not made good its tariff regulation promises. And they have no faith, evidently, that, left to the government alone, there is any likelihood of the revision needed, for they call for the establishment of a permanent tariff commission of experts to replace the tinkers. "This exhibition of distrust from the manufacturers will be likely to put a crimp in Sir Wilfrid's good opinion of himself, and will set all the Grit watchdogs barking, following the lead of the chief watchdog, the Globe, which began the chorus today. "EXPLANATIONS. "Sir.—This is what I heard as I rode on the car: That the Liberal war cry now is: Vote for Rley and the money bags. That Rley was afraid to oppose the Conservative amendment which proposed to stop Chinamen from working on the Grand Trunk Railway in B. C. That Rley elected him to attend to Federal politics. We elect men to attend to provincial politics. That Rley is no friend of the people of B. C. who have been in power \$4,000,000 since they have been in power \$4,000,000 from British Columbia and given us back \$750,000. That the Liberal government raised the tax and refused to apply it until the Grand Trunk Railway Company got all the

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GREGORY VS. APPLIES.

Sir.—There is evidence of a repentant mind and chastened spirit pervading the letter of Colonel Gregory in your issue of this morning, which is cheering to observe. It being so greatly in contrast with his platform utterances. With respect to the two "respectable electors" state in writing that his language was as attributed to him in your report, I beg to decline to move in the matter. The man is too insignificant to be worth while, and Colonel Gregory's personality in the campaign too unimportant. It is somewhat remarkable that he has not chosen to deny the charge of a speaker at a public meeting. Until this is done I am willing to believe that the reporter made a fair report, and that you so accept it. Colonel Gregory's insinuation that there were electors present at the meeting other than "respectable" I pass with the remark that he has a singularly unfortunate method of expressing himself, or else holds a very poor opinion of the adherents to the Liberal cause. Of course the reporter cannot claim respectability. That would be expecting too much. Still the gallant Colonel will find it a very difficult task to convince his Liberal colleagues in this campaign that it was not he who had been advantageous to them if he had remained as silent on civil service reform as he now wisely proposes to do.

PRESS COMMENT.

The enterprises at the Soo were of gigantic proportions—perhaps the whole truth is that they were too gigantic—and now that weakness has come upon them it is no easy thing to breathe new life into the huge body of business. If Clergue or anybody else is to succeed in the work of resuscitation, he must have the aid of any one who is interested, that at the earliest moment the wage bill must be paid. The first effort to restore public confidence in the consolidated companies must be in the direction of paying the workmen. The man who leaves the first stone at the windows of the Clergue shops will be the worst enemy of the Soo.—Toronto Star.

Premier Balfour has now lost five of his colleagues, but he has the consolation of knowing that his pamphlet on the government's fiscal policy is likely to reach the unprecedented issue of 1,000,000 copies; that the printing presses cannot produce copies fast enough to satisfy the demand; and that they are selling in the streets of London at double the published price.—Ottawa Free Press.

The fact of Great Britain agreeing in the first place to the submission of the question to a commission so unsatisfactorily constituted justified Canadians in their attitude of apprehension as to the result. If the British authorities imagined for a moment that either of the three American politicians on the commission would bias his prospects in public life by agreeing to anything that would not give the United States the big end of the bargain they were guilty of foolishness. The British would fill for this country. There should have been an independent seventh member of the commission chosen by the other six or by the two governments.—Ottawa Citizen.

We were told so often that it was the big naval guns that saved Ladowneth that it is a pity that the big naval guns were so badly served he could take girls out of a school who would make as good practice for the demand by the blackbirds as the men of the Powerful did such efficient work in bringing their guns into Ladowneth. It is hard to believe they were utterly incompetent when it came to using them. People will probably suspend judgment on Sir Archibald's account until more evidence is in.—Montreal Herald.

If justice were administered in this country with the promptness that ruled on the other side of the line, it is probable that fewer thefts, outlaws and bad men generally would be operating in this part of the Northwest. The prisoners who make a specialty of the holding up business recently attempted to ply their trade in Victoria. The scene of their operations was a hotel, and some violence was done, a man and some women were killed. The holdup occurred on Monday and the criminals left only indefinite clues as to their identity and the direction they had taken. But by Thursday they had been run down and arrested, and on Saturday they were convicted. One was given seven years in the penitentiary and 20 lashes, and the other six years and 20 lashes.—Spokane Spokesman-Review.

PROVINCIAL PRESS.

Messrs. G. H. Hadwin and Henry Parke are now on their way to the East with 150 head of calves which they sold in the Northwest will be taken to Toronto. Some of them came from C. A. Smith's and R. Parke's ranches, the balance from other ranchers. It is to be hoped that the people will like those horses and that the demand will increase, for there are plenty more of them in the country and the cattle men will be only too pleased to see them sold. Now, if besides taking our calves, Ontario will take our Chinamen, it will then be a reciprocal arrangement for the cattle and manufacturers we buy from that province.—Ashecroft Journal.

Five more stamps are to be installed at the Waterloo mine. Col. McKinnon is installing a battery of ten. Inside of three months the mill has produced \$18,000 in gold, according to the report of Secretary Wolf. Eighteen men are employed.—Phoenix Pioneer.

Notwithstanding the fact that they are in the middle of an election fight, the absorbing topic of conversation is the discoveries that are being made everywhere. The display of minerals at the exhibition enlightened the public as to the possibilities of the world's wealth. The specimens exhibited came from every part of the province, and visitors were amazed at the richness of the ore from places about which little had been said in the press. With the opening of spring, mining will have a boom unprecedented in the history of this province.—Chas. Economist.

Chas. Dickson, of Sandon, is collecting specimens for a mineral exhibit at the Provincial Exhibition in Victoria from October 6th to 10th. He will be pleased to receive specimens from anyone, and will send them in Victoria free of charge.—Kaslo Kootenai.

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A number of sockeye are reported to be running in the creek this week. The supply, while not sufficient to suit the capacity of the hatchery, is much better than it was some time ago.—Lillooet Prospector.

Kaslo is an ideal spot to live in, but decidedly dull for business. The people that once basked in the sun are living in a hazy dream of a smoky smelter being established there, but so far their hopes are unfilled. Many propositions have been made, the overtures subjected to examination, only to be returned with regret, thanks and "but for legislative and other reasons we have decided to touch nothing in British Columbia at present." Despite repeated rejections the people have not given up hopes of their ideals being realized. The prospects will be dimmed when the city has every point of vantage to offer in the way of location and commercial facilities, and has already voted \$50,000 bonus.—Sundon Standard.

RISIBILITIES.
Judge—You say you got that black eye as the result of a blow by the defendant? Prosecuting Witness—Yes, sir.
Judge—Tell me the circumstances under which he struck you.
Prosecuting witness—This man met me as I was coming along Chivert street whistling "Havatha," and—
Judge—That'll do. The prisoner is dismissed.—Baltimore American.

"Why are you so happy?" asked the friend who had just dropped in. "The cashier has skipped," replied the bank president. "I don't see why that should cause any joy." "Yes, he has skipped \$10,000 that was in a secret drawer."—Philadelphia Record.

"Before I consent to let you have my daughter," said the square jawed captain of industry, "I want you to answer a question. What would you do if I were to give you a million dollars?" After the corner had viewed the remains and decided that death was due to heart failure, caused by a sudden shock, the old man lit another cigar and murmured: "That's worth tryin' again some time."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Wiggins—What would you do if you had \$20,000,000?
Wiggins—Build an asylum to shut up the people who ask fool questions.—Somerville Journal.

MEN AND THINGS.
It is stated that the personal estate of the late Mrs. Charles A. Dana, wife of the editor of the New York Sun, is valued at \$900,000. Besides this she owned considerable real estate in Minnesota, Long Island and elsewhere. She was survived by her four children—Mrs. Zee D. Underhill of Glen Cove, Mrs. Ruth D. Draper, Mrs. Eunice D. Brannan and Paul Dana.

Mrs. John Jacob Astor is believed to own the most costly ring in America. It was made in Paris, and has three large brilliant-cut diamonds, the largest of which is encrusted with tiny diamonds and the emeralds are declared to be as nearly perfect as any ever seen in Amsterdam. The ring is valued at \$10,000 by experts.

Julius Verne has at last decided to undergo an operation for the removal of the cataracts from his eyes, which are gradually making him blind. He will then be able to continue his work, which he loves and to continue his record of writing two novels a year. Of late he has been dictating, being unable to see to write. The great popularizer of science enjoys good bodily health and hopes to round out a century.

The first Baptist missionary to Japan was a seaman, Jonathan Squire, a Commodore Perry's expedition of 1854, who was sent out in 1860 as a missionary.

Asbury Methodist church in Pekin, which was barricaded by the missionaries, but ruthlessly destroyed by the Boxers in 1900, has been rebuilt and recently dedicated.

The Quakers of the First Friends church in Chicago have sent 43 missionaries to foreign lands and the Friends Bible Institute has sent 200 to foreign fields.

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Quiet Evening At the Council

Outside of Ordinary Routine
Work Little Important Business Was Transacted.

Streets' Committee Advise Making No Repairs on James Bay Bridge.

Nothing of especial interest transpired at yesterday evening's meeting of the city council, routine work in the main occupying the attention of the city fathers. A report was read from the streets' committee in which the recommendation was made that it was inadvisable to proceed with the work of effecting the repairs on the James Bay bridge asked for by the B. C. Electric Railway Company.

His Worship Mayor McCandless presided, and with the exception of Messrs. Cameron and Yates all the aldermen were in their places.

St. Stuart Yates wrote, saying owing to his leaving for England he would be compelled to resign from the executive of the Agricultural Association. Mr. George Sangster would act in his stead as chairman of the live stock committee.

Ald. Graham was appointed in Ald. Yates' stead on the executive. Mr. Milne called attention to a branch of the customs law—the use of a diving plant from the military reserve on the work of the Point Ellice bridge.

His Worship said anything which had been done in this connection was done without the knowledge of the council. It was decided to institute an inquiry into the matter and put the blame where it belongs.

The B. C. Electric Railway Company called attention to the great inconvenience caused by the closing of the James Bay bridge and hoped it would soon be reopened. Laid on the table temporarily.

Drake Jackson and Helmecken wrote on a legal matter being the extension of Douglas street. Received and filed and the property mentioned would be expropriated at once.

W. J. Pendry notified the board that the water on the flats had inundated the lower floors of his cabins. Referred to the Mayor and city solicitor.

Messrs. Langley & Martin notified the board that the Victoria Chemical Company was about to extend its wharfage facilities. Referred to the city engineer.

Ald. Graham wanted to know what was the good of giving this permission if it was intended to do away with the works was a nuisance? He moved that it be referred to the city solicitor.

well. Ald. Graham's amendment was carried.

W. E. Seagraves presented an account for \$195. Referred to finance committee.

J. G. Elliott, secretary of the Board of Fire Underwriters, wrote approving the appointment of a wiring inspector.

Thomas Hendry, re lots on Palmer estate, complained of the streets being obstructed by lumber.

Ald. Kinsman said the matter was up in the council once before and the letter was then referred to the city engineer for report.

A. J. Kito, for Miss Bransen, wrote saying she was seriously injured by falling on a defective sidewalk and asking that she be compensated. Referred to the city solicitor for report.

Madeline Hughes, of 61 Second street, complained again of the bone-grinding plant on King's road.

Ald. Elmsdale said the nuisance was to have been abated in thirty days, but it was not done.

Referred to sanitary inspector with instructions to abate the nuisance at once.

C. H. King applied for the position of caretaker at the Isolation hospital. Referred to the Board of Health.

A number of applications for the position of clerk of the works on the Carnegie library were laid over until next Monday.

The city clerk reported having forwarded to the city engineer for report Arthur Johnson's complaint re drain running through property on John street; James Dupen's request re trees on Yates street and A. Malpas' request for sidewalk on David street. Received and filed.

The purchasing agent and water commissioner reported having awarded the contract for water pipes to Messrs. R. P. Rithet Co., their being the lowest tender. The figures have already been published. Received and adopted.

Employees of the water works department asked for a pair of gumboots per man each year. Referred to streets, sewers and bridges committee.

The streets' committee advised that no repairs be made on James Bay bridge at present. Ald. Stewart moved its adoption. The tramway company could run over the bridge if they wanted to at their own risk. This was seconded and the motion carried.

A standing committee on finance recommended the payment of monthly accounts. Adopted.

The Yates' street paving by-law was finally passed. The council then adjourned.

BASILY PLEASED.

"If we get some sun in the late summer," says Country Life, we shall have a record blackberry crop. The spirit of Mark Twain is evidently not dead yet amongst us. While everybody else is lamenting over spoiled holidays, ruined crops, unused summer dresses and what not, Country Life can console itself and its with the hope of abundant blackberry jam. There is nothing like making the best of things.

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THE QUEEN'S CIGAR.

From the Cork Examiner, descriptive of the King's visit to Cork: "The King appeared to be enjoying himself immensely. He was smiling and smoking a cigar, and the Queen was doing the same." Is this a subtle attempt to shake the loyalty of the good people who disapprove of New Womanish innovation.

A NEW PROFESSION.

An ingenious German has hit upon a new profession. He parades the most popular square at Munich all day long, carrying an enormous umbrella. As soon as he has seen every promenade who has left his (or her) umbrella and is caught in a shower, he approaches with a polite bow and offer to see the rain-threatened promenade home without getting drenched, for the charge of a halfpenny. It is said that this enterprising speculator makes as much as three or four shillings a day, which is the sufficient to keep a man in comparative luxury at Munich. The inventor is seriously thinking of permanently settling down to it.

Saanich Show Grand Success

(Continued From Sunday's Edition.)

GRADDED.

Cow—1, W. Thompson; 2, W. Brethour. Heifer, calf—1, A. Munro.

SHEEP—COTSWOLD.

Ram, 2 shears and over—1, Holden Bros. Two ewe lambs—1, 2, Holden Bros.

Ram, shearing—1 and 2, Holden Bros. Ewe, shearing—1 and 2, Holden Bros. Two ewe lambs—1 and 2, Holden Bros.

SOUTH DOWNS.

Ram, shearing—1, G. Sangster; 2, J. S. Shipland. Ram lamb—1 and 2, G. Sangster.

Ewe—1 and 2, G. Sangster. Ewe, shearing—1 and 2, G. Sangster. Two ewe lambs—1, G. Sangster; 2, J. S. Shipland.

OXFORD DOWNS.

Ram, shearing—1, C. S. Birch. Ram lamb—1, C. S. Birch; 2, Marcott Bros.

SHTOPSHIRE.

Ram, 2 shears and over—1, F. Turgoose; 2, C. S. Birch.

Ram, ewe, shearing—1, F. Turgoose. Two ewe lambs—1, F. Turgoose.

ROSES—HEAVY DRAUGHT.

Stallion—1, W. R. Thompson. Span horses—1, J. Bryce; 2, R. E. Knowles.

Single horse—1 and 2, W. & R. Thompson. Two year old gelding or filly—1, R. E. Knowles; 2, S. Fairclough.

Brood mare with foal at foot—1, G. Adams; 2, C. S. Birch.

Sucking colt—1, G. Adams; 2, W. & R. Thompson.

LIGHT DRAUGHT HORSES.

Stallion—1, W. & R. Thompson. Span horses—1, C. S. Birch; 2, J. G. McKay.

Single horse—1 and 2, J. G. McKay. Three year old gelding or filly—1, J. G. McKay.

Two year old gelding or filly—1, C. E. E. R. John. Yearling gelding or filly—1, Holden Bros.

Brood mare with foal at foot—1, G. Adams; 2, C. S. Birch.

Sucking colt—1, G. Adams; 2, J. G. McKay.

ROADSTERS.

Span horses—1, Bishop & Clark. Buggy horse—1, C. McMillan; 2, J. Jennings.

Saddle horse—1, W. Wayne; 2, A. Simpson.

Three years old gelding or filly—1, C. McMillan; 2, F. J. Sussert.

Two year old gelding or filly—1, F. J. Sussert; 2, G. Sangster.

Brood mare with foal at foot—1, C. McMillan; 2, Holden Bros.

Sucking colt—1, C. McMillan; 2, Holden Bros.

GENERAL PURPOSE.

Team—1, H. Hobbs; 2, W. Thompson. Mare and foal—1, Marcott Bros.; 2, E. Hobbs.

Two year old gelding or filly—1, S. Fairclough; 2, J. G. McKay.

Sucking colt—1, Marcott Bros.

SWINE—BERKSHIRE.

Boar—1, W. Thompson; 2, Levitas Bros. Sow, under twelve months—1, W. Le Poer Treach; 2, J. W. Brethour.

CHESTER WHITES.

Boar—1, R. E. Knowles. Brood sow, in farrow at the meeting, or that has been so within the last six months—1, Holden Bros.

Bred sow under twelve months—1, W. Brethour; 2, Marcott Bros.

Bred boar, under twelve months—1, Marcott Bros.; 2, Marcott Bros.

YORKSHIRES.

Brood sow in farrow at the meeting, or that has been so within the last six months—1, W. Brethour.

Slim Gathering At North Ward

Few of the Faithful Assembled
to hear the Oft Told Tales.

Dr. Milne Comes Loaded With Records to Tell of His Forgotten Efforts.

The Liberals held a little family gathering at North Ward school last night, about fifty being present. The candidates spoke and Dr. Milne told of what he had done in the busy days when he was a candidate. The speaker was Dr. Milne, who had been the stellar attraction of past Liberal meetings, was not heard, Mr. Martin's henchman not being among the choosers who would speak on the platform. Dr. Milne was chairman and other than the candidates, Messrs. C. H. Lugin, R. T. Elliott and Dr. G. L. Milne were seated among the mighty.

J. D. McNiven, the first of the candidates to speak, told of his canvass work. He was not thoroughly known to the voters, being a new man, but he had received much encouragement.

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A Clean Sweep In the Interior

Hon. Chas. Wilson Back From
Successful Tour of the
Mainland Districts.

Says There is a Prospect of Victory All Along the Line.

Hon. Chas. Wilson, K. C., president of the council in the provincial government, returned on Sunday to Vancouver from his two weeks' tour of the interior. He was accompanied by Mrs. Wilson, who was with him on part of his tour. Hon. Mr. Wilson looks well after his strenuous fortnight's campaigning. He started out two weeks ago to travel to Kamloops, the southeastern constituency in the province, and spoke in eleven meetings in that time. He would have made all the dates but for a delayed train from Cranbrook on Friday, September 18th. He went on to Kaslo, where he spoke on Saturday night, 19th inst., and returned to Nelson for Monday night.

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Two Sealers
Return to Port

Top Liner of the Fleet Returns
From Behring Sea With
787 Skins.

Triumph Arrives With 689 Skins
and a Quantity of Whale-
bone.

Two sealing schooners reached port yesterday, the Dora Seward, Capt. Binkfeld, with 787 skins, the highest catch of the season, and the schooner Triumph, Capt. C. Burns, with 689 skins and 300 pounds of whalebone. The schooners which formed part of the fleet of nine vessels fitted out early in the season with white crews, were the Vancouver Island coast, and afterward to Behring Sea. Of the fleet the Geneva, as well as remembered, got into trouble and was disabled en route to Honolulu, and the Vera, Oscar and Hattie and City of San Diego, returned early in the season. The Cacao arrived a few days ago with 645 skins, and now the Dora Seward and Triumph have arrived, and the Allie I. Alger, which has about 680 skins, and the Carleton, Cox with 600 odd, are still to come of the "white" fleet.

The schooner which arrived yesterday brought no later news of the "Silvash" schooners in the Behring Sea than that brought by the Cacao, the only catch added to those reported by the vessel which arrived previously, being that of the Director, which had 400 skins. The crew of the Triumph, tell of finding the whale from which they took the bone brought to port by them. They found the big fish dead, drifting off the fair weather grounds, and the bone out of one side of the big mammal's jaw. A tackle was made on the schooner in the effort to turn the head over so that the sealers could get at the bone, but the effort failed, and the whale, although they have the schooner down till her hull was at the water they could not turn over the big fish and get at it.

The Triumph brought to port three of the hunters of the schooner Allie I. Alger, there having been trouble on board that schooner during the season. A couple of hunters left the schooner early in the season and went to the Carrie C. W. after difficulties with Capt. St. Clair, and later in the season the schooner was in trouble with the Japanese members of the fleet. It seems the Japs were in the majority and, so the returned hunters say, tried to take things into their hands. One day while the schooner was lying to, the crew came, and there was a cutting scene which may result in the arrest of a Japanese on board the Allie I. Alger when the vessel gets to port.

Arthur Plough was the victim of the Japanese, and with Tom Poppenburg and Joe Wynn, he arrived in port on the Triumph. He had been trying to catch birds with a fishing line, as is often done by the sealers, when the Japanese came and tried to take the line from him. He resisted, and was killed by the Japs. A fight followed, in which the Japanese got the worst of it, after about fifteen minutes of rough and tumble fighting. The Japs then went to the boat and about an hour afterward Plough went to the boat to get his coat. When he was leaving again the Japanese attacked him from behind with a knife, and stabbed him twice on either thigh. He staggered aft and the captain dressed his wounds, the hunters who were on deck, keeping the Japanese from inflicting further injury to him as he ran.

After his wounds were dressed the victim, and the two hunters who arrived with him, left the schooner and boarded the Triumph, which was spoken soon afterward. Rather than have further trouble with the Japanese on the Alger they remained with the vessel.

The Dora Seward and Triumph are anchored in James Bay and will land their skins at the Sealing Company's wharf to day.

LANE'S ON ROUTE.
Several Large Vessels Now on the Way From Yokohama to This Port.

Steamer Olympia of the Northern Pacific line, sailed from Yokohama on September 22nd, with cargo and general merchandise for this port, being the fourth liner on route from Yokohama to Victoria. The Olympia is due here on October 6th. The steamer Deception, of the Ocean S. S. Co., from Liverpool, via the Cape, Vancouver and Tacoma, via the Orient, is also on her way from Yokohama, having sailed two days prior to the Olympia, and she is expected to arrive here on Sunday next. The steamer Shinano Maru of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line is also en route to this port, having sailed from Yokohama on the 22nd, the day after the Olympia, and is expected to reach Victoria on the 7th. The Shinano is bringing 97 tons of local freight for this port, and 145 Chinese for Victoria.

All the liners are carrying full complements of Chinese passengers for Victoria and points within Canada. The Mongolian being bound to Canada. The steamers are allowed but one Chinese passenger for every fifty tons of space in the liners, and

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There is only one Dr. Chase of Receipt Book fame—Only one Dr. Chase who is known the world over because of the great prescription he gave to mankind. His portrait and signature—A. W. Chase, M.D.—are on every box of remedies. That is the guarantee which protects you against fraud. Be sure they are on the box you buy.

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"I was in the faint for 'rain' asleep," he said, feebly, "Dinna skep the rain!" It developed that while grandpa was taking an afternoon nap, Macpherson fired under him. The question then arose, and Mary, as usual, decided the form of chastisement.

Cravenette Rain Coat for Boys at \$3.50, \$7.50 and \$7.75. B. Williams & Co.

"Rubbert," she said, when the wee one was out of hearing, "we manna gie Macpherson a gay sair sartin'."

THE WEATHER.
Meteorological Office, Victoria, Sept. 28-8 p. m.

THE BAROMETER.
The barometer remains low over this province and the Territories, and the weather is generally unsettled and showery. The Pacific Coast, accompanied by showers, has extended southward to California. East of the Rockies the weather has become distinctly warm and is the across the continent.

TEMPERATURE.
Min. Max. Victoria..... 52 67
New Westminster..... 51 66
Kamloops..... 50 65
Barkerville..... 40 40
Dawson..... 22 38
Chetwynd..... 24 36
Winnipeg..... 24 36
Portland, Ore..... 54 60
San Francisco..... 55 62

FORCAST.
For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time) Tuesday.
Victoria and Vicinity: Winds chiefly westerly or southerly, partly cloudy with showers tonight and on Wednesday. Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, unsettled with occasional rains.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.
Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 27.
Deg. Mean. Deg. Max. 5 a. m. 52 Highest..... 67
Noon..... 58 Lowest..... 49
5 p. m. 57 Direction of the wind was as follows:
5 a. m. Calm.
Noon..... 4 miles southeast.
5 p. m. Calm.
Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Barometer at noon—Observed..... 29.805
Corrected..... 29.829

MONDAY, SEPT. 28.
Deg. Mean. Deg. Max. 5 a. m. 52 Highest..... 67
Noon..... 58 Lowest..... 49
5 p. m. 57 Direction of the wind was as follows:
5 a. m. 20 miles west.
Noon..... 12 miles west.
5 p. m. 8 miles west.
Average state of weather—Fair.
Rain—0.1 inches.
Sunshine—2 hours 30 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed..... 29.850
Corrected..... 29.882

NEW WESTMINSTER.
Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected..... 29.80

EXPOSURE OF MC EWEN'S METHODS

Manager Falls Out With Hypnotist and Tells Ways and Means.

The great McEwen, hypnotist, has had a falling out with his manager, and exposures are showing on each side. Fred J. Dailey, the manager, said:

"I was not with McEwen very long before I found out that most of his hypnotism and the reading of each other's minds was nothing but a trick, and while hypnotism is legitimate, I cannot say as much for the majority of professional hypnotic entertainers, especially those who are carrying paid subjects."

"Our present season opened in Victoria, August 17, and after playing the British Columbia towns we came to Port Moody, August 31. The day McEwen arrived at Whistler anyone could tell by looking at him that he was not in at all condition to give a performance, and as this had happened several times before I came up my mind then and there to quit."

"We had a quarrel, but made up, and I left for Spokane on Sept. 15th. Business fell off this morning, and the people came more and more to realize that even his bluffing drive was a trick, performed by clever manipulation of his black muffer, after it left the hands of the committee. As for the hypnotic work of the word in the book, that is merely muscle reading, and anyone can do that with practice. The exercise is to put the subject to sleep, and then he works himself up to after the drive is merely a part of the play. Sometimes it comes from fear of detection."

"Regarding the blindfolding, McEwen tried the blindfolding of his eyes, and after each, he had eight thicknesses of the cloth over his eyes by clever manipulation and sleight of hand. McEwen rolled the blindfold over his forehead, and placed it over his eyes, and then he struck him with the butt end of the whip."

"In the larger cities, where he could afford it, McEwen carried from eight to ten paid subjects, and often he would hire five or six more. In the smaller towns he would cut down his force to two or three. They were instructed merely to do his bidding, and to let the manager fool the people, and to let themselves the more they would please the audience. Their salaries averaged from \$15 to \$20 a week and transportation, they paying their own travel."

"The subject who slept in the store windows was what is called a somnambulistic condition. Even McEwen himself has admitted that he had a subject who gave half of his performance while in a somnambulistic condition."

SALMON PRICES
TAKE A JUMP

Record Values of Food Fish
In Chicago And New York.

Advices to the British Columbia Cannery Association are to the effect that the market for salmon is at a high level. The market for salmon is at a high level. The market for salmon is at a high level.

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OPENING OF THE QUESNELLE DAM

Premier McBride Calls Attention of Federal Government to Hamsard Report.

It is understood the attention of the Dominion Government, through the Hon. R. B. Bennett, has been drawn to the report of the last Hansard in respect to the opening of the Quesnelle Dam, to make access for fish to the lower reaches of the Fraser River, approximately nearly 3,000 miles, and the Provincial Government, in consequence of the unsatisfactory reply, has been asked to use its influence to have the matter attended to at once. The following is a copy of that portion of the Hansard referring to this question. The enquiry was made by Thomas Burke, who has shown much greater interest in British Columbia fishing matters this year than the local members, who are supposed to be particularly interested.

Mr. Burke—Is it the intention of the government to increase the capacity of the salmon hatcheries in British Columbia, and to establish others on the larger salmon streams of the Province?

Mr. Quesnelle Dam, B. C.—Mr. Burke asked: 1. Has the obstruction at Quesnelle Dam, B. C., which prevents salmon from entering the lake, been removed? 2. If not, will the intention of the Government to have the obstruction removed in time to be of service during the present salmon season?

The Minister of Marine and Fisheries (Hon. J. D. Thompson)—No, Sir. The Inspector of Fisheries has just returned from an inspection on the spot to enquire into the feasibility of building a tunnel through the side of the dam, and the question of the dam would not be effective.

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Bad boys on Dunsmuir street, amused themselves by breaking down a fence in front of a widow's house and committing other acts of wantonness, while on Dunsmuir street, a boy acted disorderly and made himself in other respects a nuisance in the community. W. M. Lowie reported his dog stolen from the Deland Hotel and another man his puppy snatched away from his residence. A notice, just arrived, was pinned on the upper works of the police desk. It offered \$50 reward—only \$50—for the turning over to the Police, Cal., penitentiary authorities, Convict 4748, his other name being R. M. Garden, who escaped from the prison on July 27th, while he was serving a 45 years' term. Garden is 27 years old and six feet one inch tall. He must be very clever to hide all these inches from the world, or perhaps detectives do not think it worth their while to look him up, if the Police authorities think he is only worth \$50 to them when he is serving a 45 years' term.

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